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Applicant : BEDERKE  
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SUBMISSION OF DECLARATIONS

Applicant requests that the Examiner consider the Declarations of Erwin-Detlef Von Ahsen and Michael Steuermann. These Declarations are attached to this supplemental communication.

The Declarations present evidence of commercial success as well as exceptional results with regard to the subject matter of the claimed invention.

Applicant further requests the opportunity to discuss this application with the Examiner at a convenient time for the Examiner. Particularly, Applicant wishes to present further evidence including a demonstration video of the invention as well as a video showing aspects of the prior art.

Favorable consideration of the application and consideration of the Declarations is requested.

Respectfully submitted  
for Applicant,



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Attached: Declaration of Erwin-Detlef Von Ahsen  
Declaration of Michael Steuermann

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